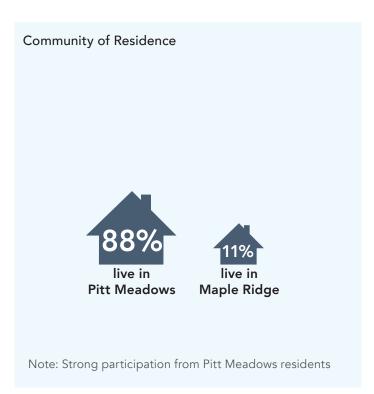
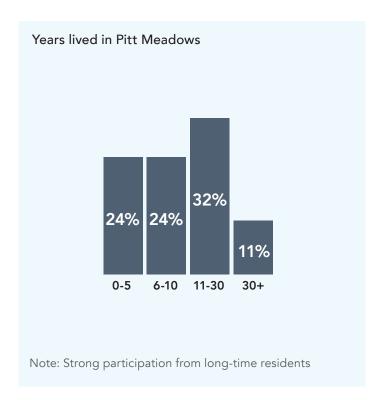
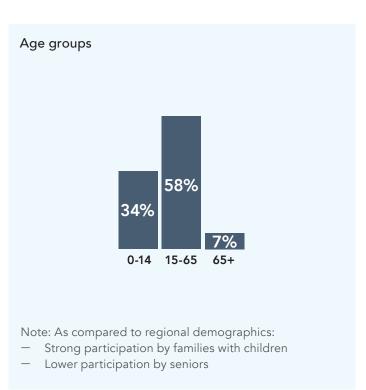
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What We Heard: Survey 1 Results

Survey 1 was conducted from April 17 to May 8, 2023 as an open online survey and as printed hard copies made available at City Hall, the Pitt Meadows Family Recreation Centre. Survey 1 received a total of 1,139 responses. A summary of the results is provided below.











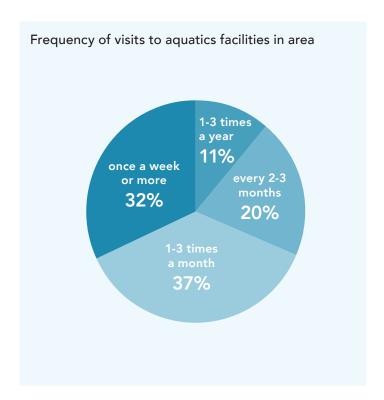
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Most-used aquatics facilities in area

62% Maple Ridge Leisure Centre
43% Port Coquitlam Community Centre
42% Walnut Grove Community Centre
28% City Centre Aquatic Complex
25% Harris Road Outdoor Pool

Other regional aquatics facilities noted:

- Hammond Pool
- Poirier Sport and Leisure Complex
- Aldergrove Otter Co-op Outdoor Experience



Top factors influencing which aquatics facilities participants use



84% Proximity to home



42% Quality + availability of programming/lessons



40% Appeal of shallow water aquatics area + features

Additional notable factors:

- Pool size (27%)
- Water temperature (27%)
- Change rooms comfort/convenience (25%)

Most important aquatics opportunities









Other important aquatics opportunities:

- Youth programs (19%)
- Adult programs (15%)





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Levels of aquatics services respondents would be willing to pay an increase in property taxes to support

- 66% Large facility with multiple pools & leisure pool/amenities
- 50% Small to mid-sized indoor facility with lane pool & leisure pool
- 19% An enhanced outdoor pool with lane swimming & leisure opportunities
- 13% Renovate or replace the Harris Road Outdoor Pool with a similar-sized facility

Note: 8% selected 'None of the above'

Top priorities when assessing future aquatics facility options



Provides aquatics programs, amenities + opportunities not available in Pitt Meadows



Responds to community demand



Minimizes impact on resident taxes



Potential to generate 27% economic benefit by bringing events and non-local spending to Pitt Meadows

Additional comments:

Swim lesson accessibility/availability; Year-round access.

Most important aquatics amenities for a future pool in Pitt Meadows











Additional noted priorities:

- Steam/Sauna Rooms (25%)
- Waterslides (24%)